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SUBJECT:PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA

REF: PEKING 1053; PEKING 1060

1. TAIL NUMBERS OF SEPT 22 FLIGHTS ARE CARGO: N451PA; AND
PASSENGER: N423PA.

2. PANAM ADVISES US OF FOLLOWING SEPT 22 CHARTER SCHEDULES
(ALL TIMES ARE GMT, ALL DATES ARE SEPT 22). PASSENGER
CHARTER LEAVES TOKYO 0330 HOURS; ARRIVES SHANGHAI 0645;
LEAVES SHANGHAI 0935; ARRIVES TOKYO 1200. CARGO CHARTER
LEAVES TOKYO 0145; ARRIVES SHANGHAI 0500; LEAVES SHANGHAI
0800; ARRIVES TOKYO 1035.

3. PANAM SAYS LOADING PALLETS AND IGLOOS ARE NOW IN
SHANGHAI AND THIS IS NO PROBLEM. THEREFORE NO FLIGHT TO
PEKING IS NECESSARY.

4. USPHS REQUIREMENTS. MEDICAL BRANCH OF DEPT INFORMS US
THAT THE ORMANDYS AND THE OTHER THREE MEMBERS OF THE PARTY
WHO DO NOT HAVE HEALTH CARDS CAN RETURN TO THE US WITHOUT
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THEM THIS TIME, SINCE PRC IS CONSIDERED ONE OF "CLEANEST

AND HEALTHIEST COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD". MEDICAL BRANCH STRONGLY URGES, HOWEVER, THAT THOSE WHO TRAVELLED WITHOUT HEALTH CARDS (PRESUMABLY THIS MEANS YELLOW BOOKS) HAVE THEM ISSUED AND GET NECESSARY VACCINATIONS AND INOCULATIONS (IF REQUIRED) IMMEDIATELY UPON RETURN TO PHILADELPHIA. IF THEY HAD TRAVELLED TO ALMOST ANY DESTINATION OTHER THAN PRC THEY WOULD HAVE NEEDED SHOTS AND DOCUMENTATION FROM ABROAD.

5. PANAM TELLS US CREWS FOR SEPT 12 FLIGHTS WERE REQUIRED TO FILL OUT VISA APPLICATION FORMS IN TOKYO PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF VISAS. PRESUMABLY MFA DID NOT INFORM PRC EMBASSY TOKYO THAT UNDER TERMS OF VERBAL AGREEMENT WE HAVE WITH PRCLO (AS REPORTED IN STATE 175342) SUCH CREWS, WHEN ACCOMPANYING USG SPONSORED OR FACILITATED CULTURAL EXCHANGES, DO NOT HAVE TO FILL OUT VISA APPLICATION FORMS. (CREWS DID NOT OBJECT THEN TO FILLING OUT APPLICATION FORMS). WE BELIEVE USLO SHOULD MAKE MENTION OF THIS IN LOW KEY WHEN DISCUSSING WITH MFA VISA ARRANGEMENTS FOR SEPT 22 CHARTER FLIGHTS.

6. FOLLOWING IS LATEST PASSPORT INFORMATION ON SEPT 22 CHARTER CREWS.

(LISTED IN ORDER ARE POSITION, NAME, DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH AND PASSPORT NUMBER, ALL PASSPORTS BUT ONE ARE US; EXCEPTION IS VON DERINGER - FINNISH).

CARGO CHARTER:

CAPTAIN J. T. GAUGHAN, 6/4/18, MASSACHUSETTS, C-1303403.
COPILOT T.A. BENNETT, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], NEW JERSEY, Z-1718981
COPILOT N. H. NORDQUIST, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], MINNESOTA, B-1495443
BACKUPENGINEER, L.M. NELSON, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], KANSAS, C-1017850.
ENGINEER, J.D. KIRKMAN, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], INDIANA, C-657800
BACKUP PILOT, M. J. OLIVER, 2/28/23, U.S.A. C-1422141
MAINTENANCE, JAMES P. O'HAGAN, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], NEW YORK, Z-1722089
PASSENGER CHARTER CAPTAIN, D. W. FROST, 9/11/16, CALIFORNIA, C-1423045
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COPILOT D. R. PUCKETT, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], WASHINGTON, H-920079
COPILOT, C. A. HOLDER, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], OKLAHOMA, C-1300726
ENGINEER, J. SIEGER, 6/15/31, WISCONSIN, C-075276
CABIN CREW, L. HUANG, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], TIENTSIN, CHINA, B-1571206
M. KINDIG, 5/22/31, NEW YORK, A-234482
N. KRAWCZYK, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], WISCONSIN, B-539242
N. MILTEER, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], INDIANA, B-075277- -
A. VON DERINGER, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], FINLAND, FINNISH PASSPORT

249824; U.S. ALIEN REGISTRATION NO. [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013]

J. CIENEGA, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], CALIFORNIA, K-932217

J. CONNOR, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 27 JUN 2013], U.S.A., D-1484000

PANAM REPRESENTATIVES

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